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Transmitted herewith is the patent application of () application identifier or (X) first named inventor, Federico Carniel, entitled GAIN FLATTENED BI-DIRECTIONALLY PUMPED RAMAN AMPLIFIER FOR WDM TRANSMISSION SYSTEMS, for a(n):

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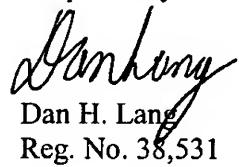
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